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THE BOSTON STORE.

Mr. Pizer, of the Boston Store, has just returned from the eastern markets, having purchased one of the largest and best selected stock of late style goods ever shown in North Platte. We are too busy shelving goods to quote prices to-day, but watch for an announcement Friday. As we bought our stock early before the advance, we are prepared to sell goods lower than any one else. Call and inspect our goods and learn our prices. We can suit you.

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COUNCIL MEETING.

—The city council last night appeared to have adopted new methods, and turned over a new leaf. No useless time was wasted in oratorical efforts which amount to nothing, and make no change in the opinions of members, but that august body got right down to business and transacted its affairs in a proper manner. After the reading and approving of the minutes of the previous meeting the matter of the confirmation of R. L. Graves as chief of the fire department was taken up and promptly confirmed without a dissenting vote. The bills of I. E. VanDoran and J. E. Weeks for \$3 each for services as policeman on the night of July 4th were allowed. The bill of W. R. Morgan for killing and burying forty-nine dogs was allowed for \$49. On motion the street commissioner was ordered to take up all dangerous and unsafe crossings, and the sidewalk on the west side of the street across the slough on Locust street, to notify property owners to repair and put in order their sidewalks, and a special notice to be given the owner of the sidewalk along the west side of the Hughes property in the Second ward. The matter of the removal of the wooden awnings and cross signs was taken up, and alderman Iddings suggested that the mayor was the executive who should enforce the city laws, to which mayor Baker intimated that although the ordinance had been adopted during the term of his predecessor, and should have been enforced, yet he would not prove derelict in his duty. On motion the new chief of the fire department was requested to see if he could not have the present fire alarm system put in satisfactory working order. The council then promptly adjourned ere the "hoodlum bell" sounded its warning note. This is business, gentlemen, and by making your sessions short and business like you will win the good esteem of our people.

GUN CLUB SCORE.

The following is the score made at the regular shoot of the gun club Saturday evening:

Woodward	11111111111111111111	11
Holter	11111111111111111111	7
Graves	11111111111111111111	5
Pitt	11111111111111111111	10
Price	11111111111111111111	8
Friedrich	11111111111111111111	2
Williams	11111111111111111111	8
Seeburger	11111111111111111111	5
Barum	11111111111111111111	7
Zelbert	11111111111111111111	6

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to kindly thank all our friends (and especially to Dr. H. V. Hatch), who assisted us during the long illness and death of our loved one, and trust when they are laid low by illness and pain others will as willingly respond to help them as our prayer. Signed: Mrs. Blanche Owens, Mrs. Edith M. Owens, Mrs. Clara Stewart, Colonel and Dick Owens.

—Dock Raze, of the Curtis Courier, congratulates THE TRIBUNE upon having a power press. Great God, Dock! This paper has been printed upon a first class power press for almost the last decade; in fact three of them have constituted a portion of the office equipment. Is this a specimen of up-to-date Curtis journalism? A number of weeks ago this paper mentioned the fact that all of the North Platte papers are now printed upon power presses—something unusual for a town of this size.

SUTHERLAND NEWS.

Alex. Robertson returned from Missouri a couple of weeks ago and is now working for John Keith & Co.

T. S. Clarkson was in our village on Tuesday with a party of land seekers.

The young people from this vicinity who have been attending institute at North Platte, returned home on Monday.

W. H. Holtry spent Tuesday at the county seat.

Miss Olive Muir will teach the Etchison school the coming term. Frank Thayer, of the west part of this county, was transacting business at this point Monday.

H. M. Jones, of Ogallala, was in town Monday looking up some of his old customers who had left that section for irrigated lands.

People who don't think large crops can be raised on sod where they can be watered should drive up around Geo. Emerson's ten-acre tract in the west part of town and see for themselves.

It is reported that T. J. Lord will preside at the Eureka school this winter.

A very fine sample of oats raised

by Alex. Neilson is on exhibition at the Bank of Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierson came in on No. 1 Thursday night from Missouri. They will try life on an irrigated farm next season.

Sunday-school Missionary Scott is visiting around the neighborhood this week with a watchful eye on the schools he has started.

Eli Etchison shipped a partial load of cattle to Omaha the fore part of the week.

Miss Nina Snell has been engaged to teach the Fairview school this term.

Mrs. G. C. White returned from the Platte Sunday.

F. A. Carpenter and wife are this week entertaining Mr. Carpenter's mother from the eastern part of the state. She will probably stay until fall.

Henry Coker had a milch cow struck by lightning during the storm last week.

Wm. Roberts of the Birdwood was in town Monday and brought in a fine sample of wheat. He states that crops along the Birdwood canals are looking very fine.

Miss Mabel Johnson has secured the Harshfield school on the Birdwood and commenced school Monday morning, Aug. 19th.

Fred Krause and P. Meyers, of Keith county, Sunday in our village.

Dame Rumor has it that C. K. Rhodes will have a section near Sidney before many weeks pass by.

Bingo.

Nichols and Hershey News.

This week will probably wind up the threshing in this locality.

Captain Funkhouser was hauling lumber from the Platte the latter part of last week with which to repair his granary.

Paul Jensen, from McPherson county, was a guest at the Brown residence one night last week while on his way home from a business trip to North Platte.

We understand that work on the new M. E. church at Hershey will begin the first of next month.

It all is well a large acreage of fall grain will be sown in the valley this fall.

The foundation for the new school house at this place is completed. It is a first class job we are pleased to note.

Eight or ten "prairie schooners" passed through here going east last Sunday.

It is the west two miles of Hinman precinct instead of Hershey that is included in the district for the new bridge across the North river opposite this station. There is no Hershey precinct as was stated in last Friday's edition.

J. W. Prickett transacted business at the county seat last Saturday in connection with the new church soon to be erected in the hamlet of Hershey.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather on last Tuesday evening the ice cream festival at Hershey was well patronized. About \$7.00 were taken in. Rev. Franklin and wife were present.

It is stated by very fair authority that one of the section men at this place took unto himself a "better half" on last Sunday. We failed to get the particulars.

The Ware boys will thresh two or three jobs in this locality with their steam thrasher this week.

Miss Cal Sullivan, Miss Sadie Brook and D. A. Brown and mother gathered plums along the Birdwood the latter part of last week.

The Patterson & Alexander harvesting outfit, of the Platte, passed down the grade Sunday afternoon with their machinery, having completed their harvest.

We have heard it stated that Mrs. F. L. Terry and sister, Miss Stella Goodwin, expect to visit their people in Kansas the coming month. If they make the trip it will be with a team and buggy.

Rev. Graves, of the Platte, met his regular appointment at Hershey Sunday evening.

The Hershey ball team went up to Sutherland Sunday and scooped the team at that place again. The score stood about three to one, in favor of Hershey.

W. A. Paxton, of Omaha, is looking after business interests in the vicinity of Hershey.

Charles Lawrence "worsted" J. H. Hershey in their lawsuit before G. R. Golvin on Wednesday.

Several strangers from abroad were looking over this country last week with a view of locating. They were well pleased with the country and its surroundings.

The section gang at this place

was at the Platte Saturday after their monthly revenue from the U. P.

J. O. Cole and family are talking of making an overland trip to Missouri this fall.

One week from next Monday Miss Nettie Cammack, of Salem, Iowa, who taught this school last year will begin the same duties again for the coming year.

Remember the Sunday school picnic in A. M. Stoddard's grove next Saturday. Everybody invited.

H. P. Pelton, of Maywood, will preach in the Platte Valley school house next Saturday evening, and Sunday also.

Wheat in the valley is averaging from 25 to 35 bushels and oats from 40 to 65 bushels per acre this season. When they get over this they are large acres and small bushels.

Dr. N. McCabe, of North Platte, passed up the line yesterday.

Attorney G. E. French, of the Platte, was up in this locality on legal business one day last week.

There is hardly a shadow of a doubt at the present time but what I. B. Bostwick will be the republican nominee for sheriff in this county this fall, as he is now considered by a large majority of the foremost republicans as the only available candidate, and if nominated his election is certain, as he has scores of friends in all parties who will rally to his support and see him safely through. He is the best known candidate all over the county in the whole "clique," and wherever you hear a person speak of him it is always in friendly terms.

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MILLER MATTERS.

Chas. O'Rourke, of Gaslin, spent last Saturday at North Platte and Pleasant View farm, returning home Sunday. Miss Sara Neary accompanied him on his return trip.

Miss Alice Beach and Miss Olive Muir spent Saturday and Sunday at Wolverine Ranch, Miss Beach's home, after having attended the summer normal and institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hoover became the proud parents of a young daughter Thursday.

John Neary has as fine a field of corn as one would wish to see. He also has the first roasting ears in this vicinity this season.

Charlie Osgood and Alfred Gilman, of North Platte, who are sojourning at the Osgood ranch, were guests at Pleasant View farm last Friday.

Mrs. Brown, of North Platte, is spending the week with her granddaughter, Mrs. T. G. Rowley, who also entertained Mrs. John Neary and Miss Etta Neary at tea Wednesday eve.

We are informed that Miss Jennie Hansen has been engaged to teach school in District 39 this term. We hope for a good and successful term.

Miss Anna and Frank Facka were the guests of Miss Etta and Master Richard Neary last Sunday.

Everybody is busy about the hay crop now and it is hard to get help in the hay fields. Where are the idle men now? COUNTRY COUSIN.

Ex-Senator Conger of Michigan, who fifteen years ago was one of the leaders of the republican party, is now a poor man, living in Washington. Two years ago Mrs. Conger died, leaving the aged ex-senator an annuity of \$100 a month. The executors of the estate, it seems, however, have not paid the annuity for almost a year. The other day he won his suit, and the courts ordered the executors to pay the money due or go to jail. Mr. Conger is now 74 years old. One of the speeches which he ever delivered was that at the Chicago convention in 1880.

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Something is wrong with the water in the Farmer's & Merchant's Canal in Dawson county, and the Lexington Pioneer thinks it has cleared up the mystery by the discovery that a lot of pops up near Cozad are in the habit of bathing in it. The pops in Dawson county must be a little different from the Custer county breed.—Callaway Courier.

An enterprising citizen of Red Cloud took time by the forelock last fall and prepared a large portion of his farm by thorough cultivation for sugar beets. He gave employment to a large number of people in the town weeding and cultivating and will clean up \$2,000 net profits in a couple of months as a reward of his pluck and foresight. In Pawnee county, where for the first time in a half century corn is nearly a total failure, many farmers put in experimental patches of sugar beets. The Journal has advised that the crop is flourishing and that the returns will be unexpectedly large. These object lessons, where the season has been unfavorable for the ordinary Nebraska crops, are of inestimable value to the farmers of the state. They open a vista of certainty and prosperity through a wise diversification of products, worth more than a library of theoretical discussion. Seeing is believing.—Journal.

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